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PATENT APPLICATION
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Attorney Docket No.	IS9-018
First Inventor	Richard C. Eden et al.
Title	See Attachment 1
Express Mail Label No.	EL844047480US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 51]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 15]
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 - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or
Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of
(when there is an assignee) Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35
or its equivalent.
17. ☒ Other: See Attached Addendum.....

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ADDENDUM

Title of Invention:

Power Semiconductor Switching Devices, Power Converters, Integrated Circuit Assemblies, Integrated Circuitry, Power Current Switching Methods, Methods of Forming a Power Semiconductor Switching Device, Power Conversion Methods, Power Semiconductor Switching Device Packaging Methods, and Methods of Forming a Power Transistor

Additional Enclosures:

Petition for Acceptance of Color Drawings

Appendix A (25 pages of text; 10 sheets drawings (Figs. 1-10))

2 additional sets of Color Appendix Figs.

1 black and white set of Appendix Figs.

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of Forming a Power Semiconductor Switching Device, Power Conversion
Methods, Power Semiconductor Switching Device Packaging Methods, and
Methods of Forming a Power Transistor"

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PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF COLOR DRAWINGS
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.84(a)(2)

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Sir:

Applicants hereby request the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks to accept color drawings in the Appendix illustrating aspects of the present invention in lieu of black ink drawings. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.84(a)(2), Applicants submit herewith three (3) identical sets of the color drawings. Each set of color drawings is described in the Appendix of the patent application. It is submitted that the quality of these color drawings is such that all of the details shown therein will be reproducible in the printed patent.

The petition fee as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.84(a)(2)(i) and §1.17(h) may be charged to deposit account no. 23-0925.


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Acceptance of the color drawings in lieu of ink drawings is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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